GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3055
ANSWERED ON:05.08.2002
HELICOPTER DRIVEN BY DRUNKEN PILOT
ALE NARENDRA

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item appearing in Hindi daily `Nav Bharat Times` dated June 28, 2002 captioned `Kalam Ko Le Ja Rahe Helicopter Ke Chalak Nashe Mein The`;

(b) whether any enquiry has since been conducted into the matter;

(c) if so, the details and outcome thereof; and

(d) the follow-up action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government against the persons found guilty?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a):- Yes, Sir.

(b):- Yes, Sir.

(c):- The final report of the Investigator of the incident has not yet been received by the Government.

(d):- Does not arise.